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HATCHETITE RIFLEMEN WIN INTERCOLLEGIATES

Eighteen Colleges Compete in Match—Second G. W. Team Comes Sixth—Unbroken String of Victories For Local Team—Captain Stokes High Point Scorer.

Homage to the Varsity Rifle Team, the Intercollegiate Rifle Champions! The National Rifle Association last Saturday declared the undefeated Varsity Team the champions as a result of the N. R. A. Intercollegiate Team Match, in which twenty-seven teams, representing eighteen colleges, participated. The Varsity score was 2919 out of 3000.

Modesto Junior College, Modesto, Calif., was second, with 2914 x 3000, leaving the Varsity with the very small margin of five points; Norwich University, Northfield, Vt., third, 2910; Columbia University, New York, fourth, 2889; Georgetown University, fifth, 2888; and Varsity Second Team, sixth, 2884.

Captain Walter R. Stokes led the shooters of the eighteen colleges with a score of 594 x 600. His scores were: First stage, prone and sitting, 100 and 100; second stage, prone and kneeling, 100 and 99; and third stage, prone and standing, 100 and 95.

This win is a crown for the unbroken string of victories of the team, and it was mainly due to the magnificent leadership and other qualifications of Captain Stokes. He was ably assisted by his brother, Ralph Stokes, as coach, and H. Clay Espey, manager.

The intercollegiate match this year attracted competition from colleges

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GLEE CLUB CONCERT DANCE TO BE GIVEN

Both Men and Women's Organizations to Sing—Will Take Place of May Carnival.

A concert and dance, given jointly by the Men and Women's Glee Clubs, will be held in the grand ballroom of the New Willard Hotel, 8.30 o'clock, the evening of May 5.

The concert and dance will take the place of the May Fete Carnival that is usually staged by the Student Council. "Babe" Fly, the present manager of the Glee Club, and who was a member of the committee that was so successful in putting on the Interfraternity Prom, will be in charge of the affair, and has promised an exceptional program.

Starting at 8.30 p. m., the Men and Women's Glee Club will put on a concert to last about two hours. The concert program will include solos, quartets, instrumental selections, and songs by the joint and separate organizations.

From 10.30 until 2 a dance will be held, Happy Walker's Golden Pheasant Orchestra "pounding the old glad box," with two pianos, three saxophones, cornet, bass, trumpet, violin, and drums, overflowing with harmony and aching to pull off some more of their novelty songs similar to those they sang at the Interfraternity Hop.

The ballroom will be decorated with different fraternity banners, flowers, and a few novelties which have not as yet been made known. However, a special dance has been promised with the fond familiar balloon playing the leading role of entertainer, so the only thing that will be missing will be that old romantic "May Pole," with its many and varied colored ribbons drooping majestically down its side.

According to the plans of the committee the dance will be strictly informal. The committee contemplates hot weather by that time and have ventured forth with the suggestion that the men step out a few days earlier in their Palm Beach, have more fun and less agony.

Tickets will be sold at \$3.00 per couple, single tickets can be purchased at \$1.50.

MAY BUILD ANNEX

An annex to the present administration building is being planned.

FREE SHOW FOR CLEVER NAME

Two passes for Keith's will be given to the person thinking up the best name for the clever magazine that English Class 9 will publish in the month of April. The names must be handed in to William N. Morse, instructor in English, by 5 o'clock, Saturday, April 5.

TO PRESENT VODIVIL SHOW SENIOR WEEK

Central High School Is Obtained by Courtesy of Community Center and Musical Association

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

A try-out for the Union Vodivil will be held in Lisner Hall Chapel, Thursday evening, April 10, at 7.30 o'clock. All persons who expect to take part in the Vodivil MUST be present at this try-out if only to indicate their willingness to comply with the stringent regulations that, of necessity, attend the staging of a vodivil.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. M. W. Davis, of the Community Center Department of the D. C. Public Schools, who arranged the details, and of Robert Lawrence, Director of Community Music, who released the date, the Mimes will present Union Vodivil in the auditorium of the Central High School, Saturday evening, May 31, 1924, as one of the major features of Senior Week.

A series of musical evenings by the Community Music organization was originally planned for the week ending the 31st in the Central auditorium, but Mrs. Davis, in behalf of the George Washington students, took the matter up with Mr. Lawrence and with his ready assent secured the evening's release. Mr. Lawrence, in waiving the school's use that night, said it "was a pleasure to extend a courtesy on behalf of the G. W. students."

The Vodivil is being rapidly worked to a completion. Several acts are already in rehearsal and more are being put into shape. From the reports of the director, Marion Barker, a "galaxy of glittering stars will peerade that night," or words to that effect. It is readily assured that a performance unlike any staged by George Washington students will be seen. Nor should this be taken to mean that the show will not demonstrate the very best that could be desired.

The "Kappa Sig Boys," thus flippantly called, are preparing a minstrel show with "Yum Bum" and "Bim Bum" and several other classic actors striving to uphold the honor and glory of the lodge. Other fraternities have promised acts, but from the showing of the Sigs, it behooves the former to get busy in order to be in the running.

The second tryout announced above should be much better than the first held last Thursday night. Those in charge of the last one will not give further statements regarding this tryout than to say: "You should have seen 'em."

COMMITTEE APPOINTED FOR JUNIOR LAW PROM

Committees have been appointed and plans perfected by the Junior Law class for their Endowment Prom to be held in the Hall of Nations, Washington Hotel, April 16.

"The Carolinians" will be the probable selection of the class to play, so Edwin Brooker, General Chairman, stated.

Although many dances and receptions have been given by the different classes at Law School, this is the first time that any class has endeavored to put on a Prom. The price of the tickets will be two dollars.

The committee chairman appointed by President Leighton C. Taylor are: Edwin Brooker, general chairman; A. H. Moran, hall and music; H. H. Mitchell, publicity; G. M. Brumbaugh, ticket and finance; Miss Helen C. Newman, decoration; Miss Terese V. Haley, reception; J. N. Petty, floor. The chairmen of the different committees constitute an executive committee, charged with the development of the entire prom.

SPEAKS TO FACULTY CLUB

Dr. Charles Mann and Dr. G. W. Hooke were speakers at a recent faculty meeting.

PYRAMID ELECTS TEN OF STUDENT LEADERS

Men From Publication Staffs, Debate and Athletic Teams Chosen

LEWIS AND CRUM GUESTS

Many Alumni Members Expected at Banquet, Friday, April 4—Initiation to Be Held Then.

Names of the ten men recently elected to membership in the Pyramid Senior Honor Society were announced by Francis W. Brown, secretary of the fraternity, as: Washington Irving Cleveland, Robert William Colflesh, Henry Clay Espey, W. Graham Fly, Henry James, Lester W. Johnson, David N. Laux, G. Wilfrid Pryor, William V. Simmons, and Stanley J. Tracy. These men will be initiated on Friday, April 4. Following the ceremony the annual spring banquet will be held, at which William Mather Lewis, President of the University, and Harry Watson (Maud) Crum, recently appointed football coach, will be guests of honor.

For the past four years Cleveland has been actively engaged in work with the debating team of the University. During the past two seasons he has been a regular on the varsity debating squad, representing the University in many intercollegiate combats of words. Last October he was a member of the team that defeated the University of Oxford.

This year Robert Colflesh is one of the student members of the Board of Managers. Three years ago he was instrumental in organizing the Men's Glee Club and was its first player-manager. Besides this he was president of the Senior Class of 1922 and is at present member of the Student Council.

H. C. Espey has won four letters in rifle and is this year the efficient manager of that sport. A large part of the success of that activity this year is due to the efforts of its manager. He is actively engaged in promoting the interclass track and field meet which is being held under the auspices of the G. W. Club.

Graham Fly, better known as Babe, has been for the past two years the player-manager of the Men's Glee Club. Much of the success of the musical club is credited to him. He has also served as a class officer when he gained distinction as the "kidnaped" Frosh president of 1921.

Henry James was the man responsible for the success of the student endowment drive, as he was the general chairman of the campaign. Besides this he is a member of the business staff of the Hatchet and a member of the Student Council. Last year he was a member of the business staff of both the Hatchet and the Cherry Tree.

Lester Johnson was the manager of the 1923-24 basketball team and is a member of the present Student Council. In 1920 he won his G. W. in baseball.

David Laux won his G. W. in football in 1922 and 1923 and in track in 1923. He is at present a member of the track squad. He scored the only earned touchdown that a Hatchette football team ever counted against Georgetown in the game played in 1922.

G. Wilfrid Pryor is at present associate editor of the Hatchet and fraternity editor of the Cherry Tree. He was vice chairman of the student endowment drive, being in a large way responsible for its success. He was the student chairman of the roll call of University students that was held on the Monument Grounds last fall.

William Simmons is one of the fastest track men in this section of the country. He has won the G. W. in track for the past two years. He is anchor man of the crack G. W. relay team.

Stanley J. Tracy is athletic editor of the Cherry Tree and a member of the track squad. Last year he was manager of the sport. He has won two G. W.'s in this activity. He is to be the clerk of the course at the first annual interclass track and field meet which is to be held April 19 under the auspices of the G. W. Club.

Members of Pyramid Honor Society in the University at present are: Dean Hugh Miller, Dean William C. Van Vleck, Professors Dewitt C. Croissant, Henry Grattan Doyle, Charles S. Collier, Gilbert L. Hall, Elmer Lewis Kayser, Daniel L. Borden, Director of Student Activities Bryan Morse, Peter Valaer, and Henry Lepper; Francis W. Brown, Edwin S. Bettelheim, H. O. Allen, Bartley Corbin, J. Foster Hagan, Robert H. McNeil, J. Jos. W. Palmer, Edward L. Scheuffer, Howard K. Shaw, Walter R. Stokes, Hillary A. Tolson, and C. Melville Walker.

KEEN INTEREST SHOWN IN TRACK COMPETITION

Rules and Regulations Given—Captain Tolson Makes Statement Regarding Varsity Men—Girls' Event List Many Entrants—Meet To Be Held in Central Stadium, April 19.

SENIOR WEEK PLANS ANNOUNCED COMPLETE

Prom to Be Held on Hotel Washington Roof, June 2—Abolishes Complimentary Tickets.

Roof garden dancing, in June, excellent favors, and peppy music will feature the Senior Prom which is to be a part of the farewell week planned by the Class of 1924 at the committee meeting Wednesday, March 26. Other events in the week will be a Union Vodivil, Alumni Day, and the Commencement Exercises.

The roof garden of the Hotel Washington has been definitely decided upon as the best place to hold the farewell dance. Neither the favors nor the music has been decided upon as yet. Monday, June 2, was the date decided upon for the Prom.

Swerving radically from the usual custom and precedents the presidents of the Senior Classes of the five different colleges and members of the committees decided unanimously to abolish all complimentary tickets. It has been the usual practice to give the coveted pasteboards to the class presidents and chairmen of the various committees. However, it was decided that a free ticket would be given to persons selling fifteen tickets, in order to aid the sales. The price of the Prom was set at \$5.00.

"By abolishing the complimentary tickets much of the difficulties of handling the financial end of an affair of this nature will be eliminated," was the opinion of one of the committee chairmen. "At least it will be an experiment that will bear watching and if successful in doing away with much of the abuses of the past, it ought to be adopted by all of the other organizations giving parties," he further continued.

Besides the dance the Seniors will present in conjunction with the Mimes a Union Vodivil. Tentative arrangements have been made to secure the auditorium of Central High School to give the production. J. Foster Hagan, president of the Mimes, is in charge of this feature of the Senior Week.

On Tuesday, June 3, a big homecoming day for the alumni of the University has been planned. In the afternoon athletic events will be featured, while an alumni dinner will climax the day.

Dr. John Finley, at present one of the editorial writers for the New York Times, will make the commencement address, it was announced from the office of President Lewis. The commencement exercises will be held Wednesday, June 4.

ENGLISH CLASSES PLAN ENDOWMENT EVENING

Endowment Evening will be observed by English 45 and 48 in Lisner Hall Chapel at 8.15, April 1. Admission will be fifty cents and the proceeds will be sent to headquarters as the classes' contribution for the endowment.

Immediately following the program there will be a jitney dance. Each couple will be numbered as they enter the floor. Strong armed guards will prevent any rushing of the door. Admission will be five cents a dance a couple; stags will not be encouraged. Candy will be on sale before and after the program.

- The program will be as follows.
1. Pantomime, "What Can She Do?" by Miss Evangeline Lovett.
 2. Violin solo, Miss Theresa Pyle.
 3. One act play, "Death and the Doctor," by Kermit Girdner.
 4. Piano solo, "To Spring," Grieg, Miss Marguerite Carlton.
 5. Pantomime, "The Escape," by Miss Jeannette F. Blum.
 6. Whistling, by Miss Pyle.
 7. Pantomime, "Pierrot at Home," by Marion Barker.
 8. Impersonations, by Mrs. Marguerite Mulligan.
 9. Piano solo, "Caprice," Kreisler, by Miss Carlton.
 10. One act play, "Inactivity," by Mrs. Marion S. Bennet.

The Interclass Track and Field Meet to be held by George Washington April 19 at Central High School stadium is to be the big athletic event of the year, according to plans now being made by the G. W. Club under the leadership of Hillary A. Tolson, president of the organization and captain of the track team.

This meet will take in all the ordinary events and in addition will have for the feature of the day interfraternity and intersorority relay races of one-half and one-quarter miles, respectively. There is a great deal of interest in these races already and enthusiasm promises to be at fever heat by the time the match is held. The Fraternities are organizing their teams and a great scrap for honors is expected. Rivalry is always keen between the fraternities and several that were beaten in the interfraternity basketball and bowling tournaments are thirsting for revenge against the winners and also for new laurels.

The members of the fair sex are getting in trim also, and when the clerk of the course starts the inter-sorority relay race every sorority will be represented, it is predicted. Daisy Robson and Margaret Daly are in charge of training the girls. Captain Tolson is coaching the co-eds. Several of the girls have been heard to remark that from now on the use of sweets is taboo.

Handsome loving cups will be awarded the winners of these events. These cups are to be the best that Washington jewelers can get and it will be a real honor and achievement to the winners of the relay races and a credit to the fraternity.

To the class winning the high position, a large silver cup will be presented, to be kept for one year or until through the outcome of the next meet. The numerals of the class will be engraved on the cup. Points made in the feature events will not count as points for the class cup.

The individual point winners will be rewarded also with the presentation of cups or plaques to the high scorers both in the men's and women's events, which are to be kept permanently. All scorers of five or more points will be rewarded with numerals of their graduating year. Points are to be counted as follows: First place, five points, second, three and third, one.

Application blanks are at the foot of the bulletin boards in the Law School, Columbian College, the Medical School and at the College of Pharmacy. These are for the use of the students who wish to enter any of the events. These blanks must be filled out and in the hands of the clerk of the course by Saturday, April 12. Stanley J. Tracey, 1733 N Street N. W., Washington, D. C., is the clerk of the course.

Posters are up in all of the schools with rules, regulations, a program of the events and all other pertinent information relative to the meet.

Classes will be divided into the following groups: Freshman, Sophomore, Junior and Senior.

All Graduate School students are to be classed as Seniors. There will be no regular Freshman entrants from the Law School because all Law Freshmen must have had at least one

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COLUMBIAN DEBATE ON RUSSIA, APRIL FOURTH

Mr. Meador Wright, vice-president of the Columbian Debating Society, announces that the organization will hold a debate, April 4, at the Law School on "Resolved, That this house enter a protest against religious persecution in Russia." This subject commands interest as offering an opportunity to clear up the general vagueness in the air with regard to what actually is and is not taking place in Russia. Atrocious crimes and epoch-making achievements have been attributed to the regime inaugurated by Lenin and Trotsky. The United States has not yet recognized the Russian government. Senators Borah, La Follette, and many others think she should. Their opinions as well as those of the other side will be brought out in the debate next Friday, and will crystallize your thoughts on this subject into solid form.

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WORTH-WHILE OPPORTUNI- TIES

The latest achievement that has marked the presidency of George Washington University of William Mather Lewis is the unanimity of interest manifested in the lectures given at the Cosmos Club on literature and science and at the Law School on law. No pains have been spared to secure at every lecture a speaker who was an expert on the subject rendered. Students have taken cognizance of the ability of the lecturers by attending in full force, equipped with an alert mind or a ready notebook in order to absorb the content of the lecture to supplement class work. The audiences have also been composed of Capital residents who have recognized the superior training of the faculty of G. W. U.

Unique and graphic scientific lectures initiated the course. "Sweetest Shakespeare, fancy's child," seemed invested with a deeper meaning and more common appeal after the lecture by Dean Wilbur on the everlasting poet. The drama and literature of the main European countries have been expounded and interpreted by other prominent faculty members. The lectures at the Law School, given by teachers of G. W. U., have brought out new means of getting the most out of a law school course. These lectures have proven that there are common centers of thought for all George Washington students. They have been invested with enough interest to command the attention of the Medical School, the Law School, and the School of Arts and Sciences. They have provided a meeting ground for all classes of students. They have made it apparent that the get-together spirit is very possible, even for a large urban university. In these respects, then, the two lecture courses have given and are giving cultural stimulus and crystallized university spirit.

THE GLEE CLUB

Having been an active organization for many years, prominent in college and local social functions in Washington, the Glee Club is gradually being recognized and accepted by the student body as one of the University's leading organizations and placed in the position to which it rightfully belongs.

The Glee Club, it is true, is not an organization that can meet in competition with other similar organizations of other colleges and earn honor and glory for the members and the University by bringing home medals or silver cups. Its work is not of the hair-raising variety that appeals to the sport-loving public.

It is assigned a different duty to perform, and never during the period of its existence has it failed to perform that duty. Its members have been diligent and conscientious workers. Like the

other activities at G. W., the Glee Club has developed this year, proportionately, far more than in the past four years. There was at one time provision made that only those who were able to sing could be members. Now the Glee Club has added a new attraction by having organized its own instrumental section.

During the past year concerts have been put on by this organization at different social functions around Washington. They sang at the Inaugural Banquet given to President Lewis, and later put over one of their best programs for the recent Endowment Campaign.

A lack of funds has made it necessary to confine its activities within the limits of the city. This condition, although unavoidable, is unfortunate. If there is any organization in the college that can advertise the University around the country, that organization is the Glee Club. It has as great a field to cover in its particular work as has athletics. It appeals to a different class of people, those who are not particularly interested in football and such other sports. The club realizes this and so is endeavoring to raise a sufficient amount of money that next year trips may be taken to nearby States. The proceeds from the concert and dance, set for May 5, to be given jointly by the men and women's organizations, will be used for this purpose. Come out and bring your friends.

THE RIGHT STEP

Realizing the benefits that can be derived from the unity of organizations that have principals and policies in common, the different fraternal organizations in the Medical and Law Colleges are forming a Professional and a Legal Interfraternity Association in their separate Colleges. The work of these organizations will be similar to that of the Interfraternity Association of National Fraternities in George Washington University, with the exception of the fact that their efforts will be pointed toward the promotion of their respective Colleges.

This will fill the great need of the Professional and Legal Colleges for such an organization, and the work that has been performed by the independent fraternities will now be handled by the entire staff of fraternities with larger and more noticeable results. It could have come at no better time than the present, when the many organizations are enlarging and the field of activities are increasing. It will bind these organizations to the promotion of a common cause and will help to overcome the many difficulties that the independent societies have found hard to handle alone.

These interfraternity associations have drawn up rules governing pledging, scholarship, and many other things that will react favorably to all incorporated in these bodies. Such rules have been for a long time needed and will be of great assistance to the Colleges and fraternities during pledging season.

Where so much is dependant upon the unity of the student body, and the unity of organizations within that body, in the promotion of the different Colleges and their principals, unquestionably the action of these Professional and Legal Fraternities to organize Interfraternity Associations will be of great benefit to the University, the Colleges, and the fraternities associated with it.

LAW SMOKING ROOM MOVED

The lounge and smoking room of the Law School has been changed from the basement to better quarters on the third floor.

STILL CONSIDERS CREW

President Lewis is still considering the advisability of adding crew as one of the activities. Much student interest has been aroused, and one of the boat clubs has offered the use of its house.

OPEN LETTER

Editor University Hatchet:

In view of the controversy over the action of the Debating Council in cancelling the debate with the Swarthmore Girls' Debating Team I would like to state, as representative on the debating council from the Enosinian Honorary Literary Society, the position of that Society.

The Debating Council at the beginning of the year was composed of Professor Croissant, from Columbian College; Professor Collier, from Law School; Edward Scheuffer, from Delta Sigma Rho; Charles Haycraft, from the Columbian Debating Society, and Meador Wright, from the Enosinian Literary Society. At the beginning of the school year, three of the members met quietly and elected one of their number President of the Council, another Manager of the Men's Debating Team and a girl from the Law School Manager of the Girls' Debating Team, without considering for the latter office a student from the Arts and Sciences Department, although 2,000 girls attend there as compared to forty at the Law School. Neither Professor Croissant nor I were aware that a meeting was to be held.

Later, at my request, Professor Collier called a meeting at which all the members were present. At this meeting I presented for consideration three motions in regard to the Girls' Debating Team:

1. That the tryouts be held at 2023 G Street, as this is where most of the girls of the University attend classes.
2. That the Council seek the cooperation of the English Department, especially the division of Public Speaking, the instructor having signified his willingness to assist in any possible way.
3. That a girl from Columbian College be elected Assistant Manager of the Girls' Debating Team and suggested Miss Ruth Williams, since she was an experienced debater and well known among Columbian College students.

The three members of the council who had met previously, constituting a majority of one, reluctantly agreed to the first proposal and ignored the others. I made the proposals after having interviewed more than twenty Columbian College girls who had previous debating experience, who expressed their desire to put debating over big for this year.

With the exception of that one

meeting I have received no notice whatever from the President of the Council, although he has my address, and further than this I have been unable to find out anything concerning the action of the council. It seems peculiarly inappropriate that an organization so old and so active as the Enosinian Society should be thus ignored, however humble its representative may be, and I wish to state here what I had no opportunity to express in the Council, that the Enosinian Society strongly disapproves of the action of the Council in declining to fulfill the promise to debate Swarthmore.

The Enosinian wishes to thank Professor Croissant for his steadfast insistence upon the fulfillment of the University's obligations, his attitude representing precisely the position which the Enosinian Society would have taken had its representative been notified of the meeting.

(Signed) MEADOR WRIGHT,
Enosinian Representative on the
University Debating Council.

GIRLS' STATEMENT

Due to some misconception among the students, the girls of the debating team feel that a statement of the facts in regard to the Swarthmore-George Washington Girls' Debate will clear up any misinterpretations that may have been placed upon the actions of the team, manager and coach.

Briefly, the facts are as follows: The members of the G. W. team, believing that they were under contract to debate with Swarthmore on the clash basis (three girls to a side), prepared a plan of attack along those lines and were ready to meet their opponents when they learned that Swarthmore intended to employ the two and one open forum style of debate. To meet this would have necessitated the G. W. team changing its whole plan of argument, which the girls were unable to do, owing to the limited time at their disposal. At this point there was a misunderstanding between two members of the G. W. team and the manager and word was sent that our team would meet

Swarthmore on their basis. However, the two members of the G. W. team never having assented to this and because of the general misunderstanding both here and at Swarthmore, a letter was written proposing that the debate be given up this season. The Swarthmore coach replied in a cordial letter regretting the whole incident and stating that if G. W. would care to experiment with their open forum method, they will be open to negotiations for debate with us next year.

It is, therefore, readily inferable that there is no ill feeling at Swarthmore and that there has been no attempt on the part of the G. W. girls to repudiate a definitely agreed upon contract, or to act in a way discreditable to the University. The situation has been one of general misunderstanding between all of the parties concerned and may be designated as one of those unfortunate yet unavoidable incidents which inevitably occur in the course of human affairs.

"Resolved, That the United States should accept the World Court as outlined with the Harding reservations," is the question to be argued by the girls' debating team within the next two weeks.

G. W. takes the negative side of the question against the University of Pittsburgh on evening of April 5 in Lisner Hall at 8.15. The girls supporting G. W. are: Misses Denise Levy, Margaret Conlyn and Irene Kushner.

The affirmative team meets the University of Boston at Lisner Hall, April 11 at 8.15 p. m. The girls upholding the argument for G. W. are: Misses Helen Newman, Elizabeth Edwards and Mrs. Isabelle Yates.

Note: This Boston debate is being run in place of Swarthmore.

S. A. E. INITIATES EIGHT

Morgan C. Torrey, J. Burch Tennyson, Leroy Arthur (Jack) Crofts, Elbert Edward Foster, Vivian O'Dwyer, Clarence Q. Graham, Hilburn P. Covington, and William C. Roberts were recently initiated into Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity.

PAUL PEARLMAN G. W. U. Books

1711 G STREET NORTHWEST



EDMUND HALLEY
1656-1742

Son of a London soap-boiler who became Astronomer-Royal. At the age of 20 headed an expedition to chart the stars of the Southern hemisphere. Financed and handled the printing of Newton's immortal *Principia*.

The comet came back

The great comet that was seen by William of Normandy returned to our skies in 1910 on its eleventh visit since the Conquest. Astronomers knew when it would appear, and the exact spot in the sky where it would first be visible.

Edmund Halley's mathematical calculation of the great orbit of this 76-year visitor—his scientific proof that comets are part of our solar system—was a brilliant application of the then unpublished *Principia* of his friend Sir Isaac Newton.

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Co-Ed Shooters Beat Maryland

Four Members of Hatchette's Team Score Perfect—Six Points is Margin.

Victory again perched on the Buff and Blue banner when the Hatchette co-eds defeated the University of Maryland girls in a match shot Saturday, March 29, on the College Park Range, 499-493. Getting 499 out of a possible 500 was the remarkable record of the five girls that made up the G. W. team.

Perfect scores were made by Edna Kilpatrick, Mae Huntzberger, Elnora Barroll, Katherine Edmonston, for George Washington, while Helen Beverie and Thelma Winkler upheld the honors for the old liners.

Until the time of the shoulder to shoulder match of Saturday the girls of the University of Maryland had been undefeated. The Hatchette girls remain undefeated.

The score follows:

George Washington, 499.

Edna Kilpatrick	100
Mae Huntzberger	100
Elnora Barroll	100
Katherine Edmonston	100
Katherine Shoemaker	99
Total	499

Maryland, 493.

Mary Harbough	97
Helen Beverie	100
Thelma Winkler	100
Irene Jacobs	99
Anna Dorsey	97
Total	493

Others who shot were: Sallie Burkin, 98; Sophia Waldman, 97—for George Washington; Julia Behring, 95; and Rebecca Willis, 96—for Maryland.

PREPARING BASEBALL SCHEDULE
David N. Laux, chairman of the athletic committee of the Interfraternity Association, is busy preparing a baseball schedule.

STOKES TO ENTER OLYMPICS
Walter R. Stokes, captain of the rifle team, will enter the Olympic contests, to be held this summer.

SPEAKS AT BANQUET

Ted Clark, Theta Delta from Amherst, personal secretary of President Coolidge, was one of the principal speakers at the twenty-eighth birthday banquet of the Chi Deuteron charge of Theta Delta Chi, held at the University Club Wednesday, March 26.

FOOTBALL MEN AWARDED LETTERS AT MEETING

Election of Captain at Meeting For the 1924 Team Postponed—New Coach Praised by Director.

Thursday night, March 27, at the office of the Director of Student Activities, 21 letters and seven footballs were awarded the team, while the election of captain for the 1924 season was deferred indefinitely.

The following players received sweaters: E. Miller, Allen, Hottel, Clements, Lackey, Goldman, Sawyer, Lamar, Dowd, G. McLain, J. McLain, Laux, Henderson, Fletcher, Leeb, Ketchum, B. Miller, Griffin, Leeb, Itak, captain, and Ladd, manager. Letters were also supplied for former Coaches Quigley and Brewer. Allen, Hottel, Clements, Laux, Griffin, Ptak, and Ladd, the two-year letter men, were given gold football watchchains.

At the beginning of the meeting, Director of Student Activities Bryan Morse named the five men who by right of seniority were to be considered first for the captaincy. The five men eligible were Laux, Clements, Hottel, Allen, and Griffin; the last two named would not be in the University next year. News from the registrar's office to the effect that both Clements and Hottel were on probation, and the admirable stand taken by Laux when it was found that he was the only two-year man left in the running, caused the postponement of the election.

Laux said that while he would like to have the captaincy, he would not take it under the circumstances when his name was the only one that could be voted on. He wanted a fair chance for everybody and strongly recommended Guy Hottel for the position. Clements made the statement that his probation was a new thing to him and that he had had no notification from the office to that effect. Hottel explained that he had taken a doctor's certificate to the authorities and that on the face of that he had been, to the best of his knowledge, taken off probation.

A vote was taken as to the holding of the election, and it was decided almost unanimously that it would be postponed. Clements casting the only negative vote. He bewailed the fact that the football team had had no recognition and that there had been no hop, no supper, and, in fact, nothing had been done for them.

Bryan Morse told of a buffet supper to be given in honor of Harry Crum, new coach, about the 7th or 8th of April, at the University Club. This affair is for the team to get acquainted with its new leader and is under the auspices of the G. W. Club.

The director also said that better facilities for football and the other athletics are being arranged for. These include an athletic field, a gymnasium, and every possible help that might aid Crum in putting out a great eleven next fall. Crum was also highly praised by Mr. Morse.

LEGAL FRATS ORGANIZE ASSO. FOR MUTUAL HELP

Formation of an Interfraternity Association among the legal fraternities has just been completed. The objects of the new association are to advance the interest of legal training and to mutually aid the others. The plan has been ratified by Delta Theta Phi, Phi Delta Phi, and Phi Alpha Delta.

Under the rules of the association as adopted no fraternity may bill a man until he has been registered in the Law School for one complete semester.

Edward Scheuffer, of Delta Theta Phi, Ferdinand Erickson, of Phi Delta Phi, and Robert Armstrong, of Phi Alpha Delta, formed the committee that drew up the by-laws of the recently formed association.

COSMOPOLITAN CLUB ORGANIZE

Dr. Charles E. Hill, of the Political Science Department, was the principal speaker at the meeting when the Cosmopolitan Club was formed.

The club, whose purposes it is to enroll all foreign students registered in the University, was organized Saturday, March 29.

The meeting was presided over by the president of the Philippines Society. Those engaged in the organization of the new club were Victor De Potter, Karl Edler, Miss Bayes, H. Lutz, J. Suguitan, M. Santos, W. Villanueva and Ronvold. De Potter was appointed to draft a constitution.

The next meeting of the club will be held in room 23, Lisner Hall, Friday, April 4, at 8 p. m.

INTERFRAT CHAMPS MAY PLAY WILLIAM AND MARY

Arrangements are under way whereby the George Washington charge of Theta Delta Chi Fraternity, winner of the G. W. Interfraternity Basketball Tournament, will play the William and Mary charge of Theta Delta Chi, which came out winner in the interfraternity basketball tournament of that college.

Nothing definite has been settled, but both charges are hoping that such a contest can be played. If it is found possible the George Washington champs will travel down to Williamsburg, by auto, Saturday morning, April 5. The team which will represent the G. W. winners will probably be: Captain Beeton, Vernon, Brown, Bartlett, Brumbaugh, and Roberts.

BEATS WEST VIRGINIA

The Girls' Rifle Team of George Washington University continues victorious. In a telegraphic match with West Virginia University the team made the creditable score of 498 out of a possible score of 500. The conditions of the match called for eight shooters, the five high scores to count in the prone position.

George Washington scores are as follows: Eleanora Barroll, 100; Edna Kilpatrick, 100; Katharine Shoemaker, 100; Sophia Waldman, 99; Mae Huntzberger, 99; total, 498.

West Virginia scores: Dorothy Snyder, 97; Bess Snyder, 96; Eleanor Bauer, 94; Geneva Jones, 92; Thelma Lovett, 91; total, 470.

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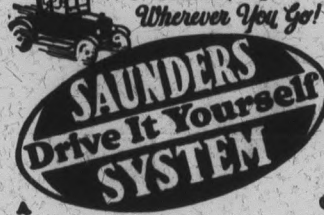
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Faults of Management of Student Activities, and a Proposed Remedy

(An Editorial)

Now that most of the obstructionists have been dropped from the Student Council, the time has arrived to point out some of the many weaknesses in the present system of the government of student activities. This is of vital importance at this time as the election of members for the council of 1924-1925 has been set for May 5 and 6, and a good start must be made for the coming school year.

Two faults stand out above the numerous others for the failure of the activities in the University during the past year or two; first, the lack of power in the council and the consequent lack of confidence engendered in the student body for it. This accounts for the failure of the council to attract the interest of the best student workers to it. Of course there are exceptions, but as a general rule the best type is not interested in the present body because of its gross lack of power and its utter lack of businesslike methods.

The second reason is even more fundamental, that of the childlike, utterly unbusinesslike and inefficient method of raising money to carry on the activities. Until the compulsory athletic fee is put into effect George Washington will not take its proper place among the universities of the country.

The idea of running seventeen different activities in which nearly 800 students take some part on \$10,000 a year is ludicrous. An athletic fee of \$10.00 a year, placing the Hatchet and Cherry Tree on a subscription basis, and elimination of the expense of operating the medical benefit is necessary for the proper growth and expansion of the activities.

But to return to the first reason, that of the faulty or lack of any political organization—the Student Council might as well not exist for all the power it has and work it does. It can do nothing (which was a fortunate thing this past year) without the approval of the Board of Managers. It has no duties that are not performed by the board. In other words, there is no reason for its existence under the present system.

Originally it was supposed to represent student opinion and thus aid the Board of Managers in determining the policy for the activities. In the past year or two the council has degenerated so that it does not represent the student body, but only a small faction. Under the charter creating the activities department in the University, passed by the Board of Trustees, March, 1920, no provision is made for the Student Council. The Board of Managers and a Director of Student Activities are created and powers of each enumerated.

It is an unfortunate state of affairs when the students have so little to say about determining the policy of their activities. The experience gained by the student in conducting and managing the activities is of inestimable value to him in later life. This experience equips him much better to cope with the problems of the world than math., foreign languages, and the like that are part of the rigid requirements for a degree. As many students as possible should be given an opportunity to gain this valuable experience.

On the other hand, it is unfair to have the Director of Student Activities work out the details. It takes his time from doing more valuable work for the activities and the University, and deprives the students of this helpful experience. It may be likened to a professor doing the studying of his students. The

director, as his title implies, should direct and supervise, and not do the actual detail work. This the Board of Trustees clearly meant when it created the office and specified the duties of such a position, as follows: "Section 2. The duties of the Director of Student Activities shall be to have supervision over all student activities; to be responsible for the status of all students participating in any student activities; to supervise the authorized expenditure of appropriated funds; to protect all property owned or controlled by the student activities."

Only one legislative body is needed for the activities, call it the Student Council or Board of Managers or whatever you will. The two bodies existing at present should be changed, amended, and consolidated to create a board composed of three faculty members to be appointed by the President of the University or by the President's Council; one alumni member, elected by the alumni association; and five students to be elected at large from the student body of the entire University. In order to insure real student workers, it should be required that only those who have achieved or are at the time of election engaged in some activity should be eligible for office on the board. This body would have the same powers as the present Board of Managers.

Under this plan, one of the faculty members would be named chairman and the Director of Student Activities would be an ex-officio member. This would avoid the peculiar and at times embarrassing situation of one man being both the director (chief executive officer) and chairman of the board (chief legislative officer).

This plan insures the management of the activities by the students under proper supervision of the faculty and gives the alumni just representation. Details of it can be worked out later. The idea, although it probably will be frowned upon and opposed by some, eliminates all waste motion and gives the students management of their activities under faculty supervision.

The time has come when the students of George Washington University should manage and control their own activities. In time they should have the right to advise and suggest to the faculty changes in the curriculum in order to keep the University in the forefront of America's educational institutions. This can wait for the present, but the reorganization of the management and control of the department of student activities is essential and imperative now.

DEBATE SCHEDULE GIVEN

April 5, Lisner Hall—George Washington vs. University of Pittsburgh: "Resolved, That the United States should adhere to the protocol establishing the World Court, with the Hughes reservations."

April 11, Lisner Hall—George Washington vs. Boston University: "The World Court Questions."

April 15, Auditorium of Interior Building, Eighteenth and F Streets N. W.—George Washington vs. Boston University: "Resolved, That the courts should be deprived of the final power to declare Federal Statutes unconstitutional."

May 3, University of Pittsburgh—George Washington vs. University of Pittsburgh: "Resolved, That the courts be deprived of final power to declare Federal Statutes unconstitutional."

May 5, University of North Carolina—George Washington vs. North Carolina: "The World Court Questions."

LAW EXAM SCHEDULES POSTED

Announcement of the time for the examinations in the Law School have been posted. Senior examinations will be started on May 12. The other classes will be examined from May 19 to May 29.

KEEN INTEREST SHOWN IN TRACK COMPETITION

(Continued from page 1.)

year of preparatory work. First year law students will run as Sophomores, second year as Juniors and third year as Seniors. This will tend to make the distribution of the participants more evenly divided, for the Freshmen in other departments greatly outnumber the other classes.

The G. W. Club, composed of wearers of the athletic letter, is responsible for the holding of the meet. A program of the events and rules for the meet follows:

RULES

1. No spiked shoes permitted in "No Varsity" events.
2. Designation of Classes:
 - A. The classes represented shall be the Freshman, Sophomore, Junior and Senior classes.
 - B. A student is a member of class in which he falls according to number of hours work passed.
 - C. If student registered in more than one department of the University, he is member of the class in which he is carrying the greater number of hours.
 - D. Special students shall rank according to number of hours of work passed, e. g., less than 30 hours, C-C, Freshman Class, etc.
 - E. Graduate Students are to represent the Senior Class.
 - F. Law School will have no Freshman Class, as students in that department must have passed one year's academic work, and students in Law School will rank, first year class as Sophomores, second year as Juniors, third year as Seniors. (This will somewhat tend to balance the classes, as the Freshman Classes of all other departments are much larger than the other three classes.)
3. Competition shall be limited to students registered in the University.
4. No varsity track squad member will be permitted to run on the interfraternity relay teams, nor will any man who has ever won a letter in track at G. W. U.
5. Members of the Varsity Track Squad will not be permitted to participate in the events listed as "No Varsity" events.
6. All entry blanks are to be in the hands of the Clerk of the Course, Stanley J. Tracy, 1733 N Street, N. W., not later than April 12, 1924.
7. First, second and third places in the events shall count five, three and one, respectively.
8. Feature events will not count on points for the Class Trophy.
9. To hold any event there must be at least five entries and three contestants must participate.
10. Numerals will be awarded to winners of five points; cups to the individual point winners of the men's and women's events; and cups or plaques to the winners of the relay events.

EVENTS

Men

50 yard dash (No Varsity.)
50 yard dash (Open.)
100 yard dash (No Varsity.)
100 yard dash (Open.)
220 yard dash (No Varsity.)
220 yard dash (Open.)
440 yard dash (Open.)
880 yard run.
1 mile run.
Broad jump.
High jump.
Shot put.
Pole vault.
Javelin throw.

Women

50 yard dash.
60 yard dash.
70 yard dash.
100 yard dash.
Broad jump.
High jump.
Baseball throw.

Features

Intersorority Relay (¼ mile.)
Interfraternity Relay (½ mile.)

The attention of the G. W. Club officers has been called to the fact that a few students have expressed the opinion that the Varsity Track Squad, especially the letter men, should be barred from competing in the Interclass Track and Field Meet to be held April 19. This matter was taken into consideration when the rules and events for the meet were decided upon by the Club and it is believed the plan evolved will be fair to all concerned, which is, of course, the desire of the G. W. Club and the University authorities.

In most colleges letter men are not barred from participating in any of the interclass events. In the G. W. Interclass Meet, however, there are three dash events in which varsity men cannot compete. This eliminates all men from these events who have reported for the squad this year, those who are now on the squad, and all let-

ter men, thus giving even a greater opportunity for men who have never competed in track than is the practice of most colleges.

Members of the Varsity squad, with the exception of the letter men, are practically all new recruits of this year and to bar the letter men from participating would be somewhat discriminatory without sufficient cause when it is considered that there are only seven letter men who will possibly enter, while the total number of competitors should exceed 200. These seven letter men should not prove discouraging to anyone who desires to compete when it is considered there are 14 events for men on the program and only one or two letter men are proficient in more than two or three events. Each of these events has three places to count for points—first place, 5 points; second, 3; and third 1—on the Class Trophy, which will be presented to the class winning the most points. It can be readily seen that seven letter men participating in their particular events will not make a great impression in winning points for the Class Trophy, and, furthermore, these letter men are from the different classes. Even if a letter man wins first place in three or four events, there will remain the four points for second and third places which will be important when the recapitulation of points for the Class Trophy is made.

It is hoped that the above will clear up the points raised in connection with the participation of letter men in the Interclass Meet, and that every student who can will show the necessary interest in athletics and loyalty to his class to send in his entry blank for the First Annual G. W. Interclass Track and Field Meet to be held at the Central High School stadium, Saturday afternoon, April 19.

HILLORY A. TOLSON,
President G. W. Club.

BRITISH EDITOR LECTURES

Sidney F. Wicks, an editor of the Manchester, England, Guardian weekly, lectured before the Economic classes of the University at the Concordia Church, 20th and G Streets, March 26, on the economic and moral factors in the success of the British labor party.

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JOURNALISM CLASSES WILL PUBLISH PAPER

Morse's Class in Composition Also
to Produce Magazine—Editors
Are Selected

English classes, under William Northrup Morse, will be exceedingly active in April. The morning class in Journalism has announced plans to publish a newspaper, the class in Composition is preparing to turn out a magazine, and the Playwriting and Oral Composition classes will stage an entertainment for the benefit of the endowment fund the night of April 1. This extensive program is the outgrowth of Instructor Morse's desire that his classes apply the knowledge gained thus far in his English courses.

Plans of the Composition class to publish a magazine are fast taking form. An editorial board has been chosen, consisting of Mrs. Marguerite Mulligan, Ernest Shepherd, Eleanor Dobson, John DeWitt, Catherine Lacey and Lester Flood. Beatrice Woodford has been named as business manager. The publication will contain stories, verse and short literary sketches.

The class in Journalism is outlining a systematic campaign for the introduction of its class newspaper upon the campus the last of the month. In addition to the editorial board announced last week, Allen Coe has been named as business manager, and Jeannette Betts assistant manager. A committee composed of Harriet Staples, Pauline Ayres, and John DeWitt, are making plans for a lunch hour dance to partially defray the expense of publication. It is the hope of the class to give the university students a live, interesting paper, without departing from journalistic principles.

April 1, at 8.15 p. m. the Playwriting and Composition classes will hold an entertainment at Lisner Hall, the proceeds of which will go to the endowment fund. One act plays and pantomimes, written by members of the classes, will be staged. Mrs. Marguerite Mulligan will give impersonations, and Marguerite Carleton and Theresa Pyle will render musical selections.

There will be an admission fee of fifty cents. After the entertainment, a jitney dance will be held at five cents a dance.

RECEPTION TO BE HELD FOR CRUM BY G. W. CLUB

Harry Watson Crum, recently appointed football coach, will be tended a reception by the G. W. Letter Club at the University Club, April 7, according to Hilroy A. Tolson, president of the organization. President Lewis and Bryan Morse, Director of Student Activities, will speak.

All members of the football squad, members of the club, and wearers of the athletic emblem are urged to be present. A buffet supper will be served.

Coach Crum will begin his work on April 4. That evening he will be an honor guest at the Pyramid Society banquet. During the early part of the following week it is expected that he will start spring football practice. Most of the members of last year's squad, along with many others, will turn out for practice, it is predicted.

SORORITY ENTERTAINS ITS GRAND PRESIDENT

The Grand President of the Sigma Kappa Sorority, Miss Laura Monroe, made an official inspection of the local chapter last week. Initiation was held at the Raleigh Hotel on Saturday evening, March 22. The following afternoon the chapter received in honor of Miss Monroe at the University Women's Club. Members of the faculty, patrons and patronesses of the sorority, and members of other Greek letter societies attended.

Miss Monroe is spending the entire semester inspecting various chapters of Sigma Kappa in the eastern section of the country prior to the fiftieth jubilee convention of the organization which will be held at Alpha Chapter, Waterville, Me., in June.

Players Present "Fond Illusion."

G. W. Players will present "Fond Illusion" on April 2, Lisner Hall, 8 p. m., in place of "Sallie For Keeps." "Fond Illusion" will be acted by outside talent introduced by Miss Marion Casey. Their other play will be presented at their next meeting.

MAY DEBATE CAMBRIDGE

Tentative arrangements are being made for a debate between George Washington University and Cambridge University Union for next October. This debate should equal in interest the debate early last fall between George Washington and Oxford University in which George Washington defeated the English debaters.

BIG SUMMER SCHOOL PREDICTED

Double the enrollment of last year's summer school is expected this summer, according to those in charge. Special arrangements and courses have been added to attract the teachers who will be in Washington attending the N. E. A. Conference, to be held in this city June 5, 6, and 7.

NEW COURSES IN CHEM MAY BE OFFERED HERE

Advanced graduate work in chemistry under such eminent authorities as S. C. Lind, of the Bureau of Mines, and other men from the Bureau of Chemistry and Johns Hopkins University, may be offered in George Washington University this year. Frank Porter, of the Bureau of Mines, announced at the last meeting of the Chemical Society that a list of the courses was being circulated, to which students interested might append their names.

The courses will be open to graduate students and students taking undergraduate work, and most likely will include a course on Subatomic Chemistry, by Dr. S. C. Lind, Bureau of Mines; Physical Chemistry, by Dr. Washburn, National Research Council; Crystallography, by Dr. Wherry, Bureau of Chemistry; Colloid Chemistry, by Dr. Patrick, of Johns Hopkins University. A course in electrochemistry will also be given.

MEDICAL INTERFRAT. ASSO. ELECTS OFFICERS

Robert J. Bosworth, Alpha Kappa Kappa, was elected president of the recently organized Medical Interfraternity Association. Charles Annuario, Lambda Phi Mu, was elected secretary. William Harbough, Phi Lambda Kappa, was elected treasurer.

Raymond Thomas, Phi Chi; Milton Friedman, Phi Delta Epsilon; and President Bosworth were selected as a committee to draw up the constitution of the association.

The purpose of the organization is to further the interest of all the activities in the Medical School and the professional fraternities. Fostering of athletics in the Medical School is also part of the program of the association. Some time this spring an Interfraternity smoke is to be held.

ORGANIZATION OF MEDIC BALL TEAM UNDER WAY

Milton Friedman, member of the Student Council from the Medical School, is in charge of the baseball team that is being organized at that college. Many likely candidates are expected to report for practice in the next few days.

At the R. O. T. C. Camp, held last summer at Carlisle, Pa., the team won the championship. Many members of this team will play for the Medics, assuring them of a squad of high caliber.

William C. Borden, dean of the Medical School, is an ardent supporter of the team, and has promised support to all athletic enterprises in the college.

ENGINEERS' BASEBALL TEAM IS ORGANIZED

More than 20 men reported at the last practice of the Engineering College baseball team. Pitchers and catchers are especially needed to fill the roster of the squad.

Games have been scheduled with Quantico Marines, Gallaudet Frosh, Georgetown Frosh, Sweetwater College, while many other arrangements for contests are pending.

PHI DELTA EPSILON DANCE

Phi Delta Epsilon, medical fraternity, held a dance at its house, 1627 Massachusetts Avenue, on March 29.

BUSY PREPARING CATALOGUE

Members of the faculty and the office force of the University are busy preparing the 1924-1925 catalogue. It is expected to be ready for distribution some time during the summer.

DELIVERS LECTURE

Professor H. W. Edgerton delivered a lecture on "Wrongful Acts and Their Results" at the Law School, Wednesday, March 26.

MANY DELEGATES SENT

It is estimated that nearly forty students of the University will leave Washington during the spring and summer months to attend fraternity conventions. Many of the organizations have selected their delegates already.

WORKING HARD ON CHERRY TREE

Edwin S. Bettelheim, Jr., editor of the Cherry Tree, and his staff, are hard at work on the annual in order to get the yearbook completed. Several novel features, along with ones of last year, will go to make an annual that the University will be proud of. The color work of this year's Cherry Tree is the principal feature.

PRESIDENT MAY TOUR COUNTRY

William Mather Lewis, president of the University, may make a tour of the country in the interest of the endowment fund.

PETITIONS MUST BE IN SOON

Petitions to have names placed on the ballot for election to the Student Council must be filed with the chairman of the elections committee not later than April 24.

DELEGATE NAMED BY P. D. E.

Pi Delta Epsilon, honorary journalistic fraternity, will send Robert H. McNeil to Boston as a delegate to the annual convention.

CHEMICAL SOCIETY WILL GIVE STUNTS APRIL 23

Election Will Be Held—J. H. Winkler
and Joe Fahey Nominated
for President

Plans for a stunt night and election of officers were laid by the George Washington Chemical Society at its regular monthly meeting, March 19. J. Homer Winkler, at present head of the Engineering Society, and Joe Fahey were nominated for president for the ensuing year; Messrs. Buckley, McNab, Epperson, and Miss Watson, for vice-president; Misses Bergen, Murphy and Ross for secretary; Messrs. Heller, Epperson, Winkler and Berryman, for treasurer; and Messrs. Hann, Graf, Epperson, Markley, Berliner, Rousch, Buckley and Miss Marie O'Dea for places on the executive committee. No member will be eligible to vote unless he produces his membership card when the teller takes the vote.

G. W. Vinal, physicist at the Bureau of Standards, lectured the society on "Storage Batteries" at the meeting. A student paper on "Industrial Alcohol" was given by J. Homer Winkler in competition for the prize to be offered by the society at the end of the year.

Plans to bring such eminent chemists as Dr. S. C. Lind of the Bureau of Mines, Dr. Washburn of the National Research Council, Dr. Wherry of the Bureau of Chemistry, and Dr. Patrick of Johns Hopkins University, to George Washington to offer advanced work in chemistry were presented to the society by Frank Porter, of the Bureau of Mines. A list of these courses is now in circulation in the Medical building.



"Johnnie" Johnson entertained the Chi Omegas at luncheon, Friday, March 28, at the Chaumont, in honor of Vivian Simpson. Mrs. Vesta Lockwood Watson, of the National Council, was present.

Chi Omega announces the pledging of Beatrice Workman, Columbian College, and Helen Newman, Law School. Evangeline Lovett gave a tea on March 29, in honor of her house guest, Margaret Schwartz, Elizabeth Armentrout, Mary Temple Hill, and Sarah Pick spent "Maryland Day" at the University of Maryland.

The pledges of Pi Beta Phi gave a musical comedy for the active chapter on March 26. Two new songs, composed by Joan Collins, were introduced.

Chi Omega pledges have issued invitations to a tea, to be given in the chapter rooms, on Sunday, April 13, for the pledges of other Pan-Hellenic Fraternities.

There will be an eastern conference of the Pi Beta Phi Fraternity at the New Willard Hotel, April 11 and 12. At least 500 out-of-town Pi Phis are expected.

Margaret Schwartz, Elizabeth Armentrout, and Jeanne Gravatte attended the Military Ball at the University of Maryland on last Friday.

The freshman members of Phi Sigma are entertaining the chapter at the home of Ruth Mason on April 1.

FRESHMAN TO HOLD SMOKER

Freshmen of the Law School will hold a smoker on Friday, April 4, according to George Bonebrake, member of the Law Senate from the first-year class. Special and novel stunts will be given.

MEDICAL SOPHS TO HOLD MIXER

Sophomores of the Medical College will hold a mixer in about two weeks. The exact date has not been set as yet.

Of Necessity

"Do you think airships will ever come into popular use?"

"Most assuredly. If they keep on flooding the land with automobiles, a lot of us will have to take to the air."

—Boston Transcript.

A Continuous Performance

She—Father has promised to pay all the expenses of our honeymoon trip, dear.

He—That's splendid! We'll never come back.

Consistent

Talk about strict vegetarians, Strictest of 'em all is Park—He won't even take the risk of Eating chestnuts in the dark.

In the Same Lot.

"Do you know," said the successful merchant pompously, "that I started life as a barefoot boy?"

"Well," said his clerk, "I wasn't born with shoes on, either."—London Telegraph.

Wanted to Be Careful

Miss Moss (Telephone)—Oh Doctor, I forgot to ask you about that eye medicine you gave me.

Doctor—Well?

Miss Moss—Do I drop it in my eyes before or after meals? —Stray Stories.



Notice!

Will the publicity representative of each organization please sign the Hatchet Calendar in the Hatchet office for any coming events in his organization?

April 1—English Classes 45 and 47 will present plays. Dance following program. Lisner Hall Chapel, 8.15.

April 2—Players will present "Sallie For Keeps." Lisner Hall, 8.15.

April 3—Lecture by Prof. Henry Grat-tan Doyle on "Drama of Spain." Cosmos Club.

April 4—Annual banquet, Pyramid Honor Society. Hotel LaFayette. Columbian debate on Russian religious situation. Law School.

April 5—Spring dance. Masonic Club of G. W. U. Hotel Washington. G. W. Debating Team vs. University of Pittsburgh.

April 7—Enosinian meeting to elect president.

April 9—Lecture by Justice Wendell P. Stafford on "Imagination in the Law." Law Building, 8.15.

April 11—Lecture by Prof. De Witt Croissant on "Modern Drama." Cosmos Club.

April 19—First annual interclass track and field meet.

April 26—Jun or Lawyers Endowment Dance. Hotel Washington.

May 5 and 6—Student Council Elections.

Flavoring the Cake.

"Susie," said the girl's mistress, "go and see if the cake's done. Stick a knife in it. It's done if the knife comes out clean."

Susie departed. Some minutes later she returned beaming.

"The knife come out as clean as a whistle," she said, "so I stuck the rest of the knives in it, and the forks and spoons, too."—London Opinion.

Baby Promoted Him

"Strange to say, I owe my advance in the world to the colic," remarked Mr. Nuppo.

"How's that?" asked his bachelor neighbor.

"Well, you see, I used to be a shirt salesman behind the counter in a department store, but since the baby came I have become a floorwalker." Philadelphia Inquirer.

Merely Uncovered

The traveler had returned to his native village after being abroad 20 years. He stopped as he saw a little boy with a small baby coming down the road.

"Ah, a new face, I see!"

"No, it ain't, sir," replied the boy, looking at the baby. "It's just been washed, that's all!"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Music by Wireless

The Maid—"I've often wondered, mum, why you don't get rid of that piano and have a radio—look what a lot of dustin' it'd save."—London Opinion.

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**MASONIC CLUB TO DANCE
SATURDAY, APRIL FIVE**

All is in readiness for the spring dance of the Masonic Club of George Washington University. It is to be held in the Rose Room of the Hotel Washington, Saturday, April 5, from 9 to 12.

Happy Walker's Golden Pheasant Orchestra is to furnish the syncopation. The price of the dance, which is informal, is \$2.00 a couple. Tickets may be obtained from members of the Masonic Club.

Paul W. Hammack is chairman of the committee arranging for the dance.

**FRESHMAN ORCHESTRA
WILL BE REORGANIZED**

W. Jeffries Chewning, freshman class secretary, announced last week that he would reorganize the Freshman orchestra, which made its debut last fall. All interested in the orchestra should communicate with Chewning, with William S. Callahan, leader of the orchestra, or with Sherman Johnson, manager.

ENGINEERING SOCIETY

All the radio fans of the University will be interested to know that Mr. E. L. Norcross, radio engineer of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co., is to speak to the George Washington Engineering Society on "Vacuum Tubes—Their Use in Receiving Sets and Development to the Present Day." The lecture will be on Thursday evening, April 3, in the chapel of Lisner Hall at 8 o'clock.

ENOSINIAN HOLDS ELECTION

The Enosinian Society will hold an election April 7 to fill the place vacated by W. W. Girdner, president of the organization, who recently resigned. Courtland Baker and Meador Wright have been nominated.

HAPPINESS

I.

In vain I seek thee, Oh, Happiness,
As the bee seeks the flower,
As the waves seek the shore,
And, as the peregrine seeks the
shelter.

In fortune's midst I seek thee—
In love's delights,
In murmured flatteries,
And the charm of gentle peace.

Eagerly I seek thee, night and day,
Where dost thou hide that thou art
not here?

I have only attained the secret of thy
name.
I know thou art called Happiness.

II.

A little cabin by a brook,
A tiny bark on the sea,
And a palm tree laden with fruit,
And the immensity of the desert.

A radiant sun, gilding the heavens,
A gentle dog, firm and loyal,
A dream pleasant as a child's,
And a conscience free from trouble.

A pleasing voice that sings and laughs,
A beautiful face to contemplate,
A youthful spirit that understands me,
Of such is Happiness.

By F. B. ACOSTA.

**HEARST IS ARGUED AT
COLUMBIAN DEBATE**

Negative, Denouncing Newspaper
Magnate, Is Awarded the
Decision

William Randolph Hearst was denounced as a detrimental force in American journalism at the Columbian Debating Society Friday night, when a decision was awarded to the negative on the question: "Resolved, That William Randolph Hearst is a constructive force in American journalism." Sherman E. Johnson and J. C. Byars spoke for the affirmative; Edward B. Moulton and Meador Wright for the negative. John R. Bromell aided the affirmative in rebuttal and Waldo Girdner the negative.

The affirmative laid especial stress on the theory that "yellow journalism," as expounded by Hearst, was a philosophy, seeking to educate the masses and to arouse them to a sense that they were the true rulers of the nation. It was also pointed out that Hearst had accomplished many reforms.

Moulton and Wright emphasized the idea that the Hearst journals were sensational and flagrant, and charged that the stories printed therein were detrimental to the public morals. The negative in rebutting this statement said that an uncovering of the truth in all cases paved the way toward frankness and thus toward better morals. Johnson was awarded first honors and Moulton second.

The society, which last week recalled Charles I. Haycraft from the Debating Council, demanded at the meeting that Joseph Milenky be admitted in Haycraft's place. The Debating Council contends that Haycraft was elected last October for the period of a year, while the Columbian Society claims that the election was only for the current semester, and further, that it possesses the right to recall a man from the council. The matter is being brought before President Lewis.

A constitutional amendment, providing that a member must have attended three fourths of the meetings of the society in order to hold office, was adopted by the society.



Gamma Delta Rho initiation and supper were held last Wednesday night at the home of Mildred Callahan, in Alexandria. The new members are Marie Didden, Hester Beall, Dorothy Coffman, Elizabeth Master-son and Marion Campbell.

Kappa Delta entertained a number of friends at a dinner party at the chapter house on Monday, March 24. Rozelle Weed, Allie Lee Hodges, Mary MacPherson, Helen Gervais.

Delta Zeta Pledges Announced

Martha Morgan, Vivian Robb, Katherine O'Neil, Beulah Chamberlain, Olive Chace, Bettie Griffin, Harriet Staples and Virginia Richards were recently pledged to Delta Zeta sorority.

**HATCHETTE RIFLEMEN
WIN INTERCOLLEGIATES**

(Continued from page 1.)

from Vermont to the District of Columbia, and from New York to Seattle, Washington.

The scores of the teams are as follows:

1. Team No. 2, George Washington Rifle Club, Washington, D. C.	2919
2. Modesto Junior College Rifle Team, Modesto, Calif.	2914
3. Norwich University Rifle Team, Northfield, Vt.	2910
4. Columbia University, New York, N. Y.	2889
5. Georgetown University, Washington, D. C.	2888
6. George Washington University, Washington, D. C.	2884
7. Mass. Inst. Tech., Cambridge, Mass.	2876
8. State Univ. of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa	2871
9. University of Penna., Philadelphia, Pa.	2870
10. University of Wash., Seattle, Wash.	2869
11. Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa	2856
12. College of the City of New York, New York, N. Y.	2842
13. University of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.	2836
14. Drexel Institute, Philadelphia, Pa.	2835
15. No. 2, Georgetown University, Washington, D. C.	2832
16. Yale University, New Haven, Conn.	2818
17. Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y.	2812
18. Modesto Junior College No. 2, Modesto, Calif.	2804
19. Columbia University, New York, N. Y.	2800
20. Johns Hopkins Univ., Baltimore, Md.	2794
21. Northwestern Univ., Evanston, Ill.	2782
22. Mass. Inst. Tech., No. 2, Cambridge, Mass.	2742
23. Johns Hopkins Univ., No. 2, Baltimore, Md.	2733
24. Carnegie Inst. of Tech., Pittsburgh, Pa.	2714
25. Northwestern Univ., No. 2, Evanston, Ill.	2689
26. Syracuse Univ., No. 2, Syracuse, N. Y.	2681
27. Syracuse Univ. Fresh., Syracuse, N. Y.	2857

Orientation Courses Discussed

"Orientation Courses for Freshmen" was the subject discussed by Dr. Charles R. Mann at the meeting of the Faculty Club of G. W. U., March 25. Dr. Mann is Director of the American Council of Education.

Charles Donnelly, President of the Northern Pacific Railway, when registering for private lessons in the

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said: "Though I have addressed many clubs and traffic organizations, I still feel there is a certain technique in public speaking which I have not mastered."

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